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TAGS PREL, XF, QA

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1. A CABINET DECLARATION, BANNER HEADLINES AND POSITIVE EDITORIAL COMMENT IN QATARI MEDIA WELCOMED THE JORDAN/ISRAEL PACT SIGNED OCTOBER 26. WHILE RECALLING THE NEED FOR PROGRESS ON THE SYRIAN AND LEBANESE TRACKS, EDITORIALS SAID THE PACT KEEPS ALIVE THE HOPES FOR A COMPREHENSIVE PEACE. MEDIA NOTED THAT QATAR'S FOREIGN MINISTER HAD GONE TO AMMAN TO WITNESS THE SIGNING AS AN INDICATION OF "QATAR'S SUPPORT FOR THE MIDDLE EAST PEACE PROCESS."
3. ON OCTOBER 26, CROWN PRINCE SHAYKH HAMAD BIN KHALIFA TOLD A VISITING GROUP FROM CSIS THAT QATAR WAS DELIGHTED THE TREATY HAD BEEN SIGNED. THE CROWN PRINCE SAID THE CABINET, WHICH MET IN ITS REGULAR SESSION ON OCTOBER 26 BEFORE THE ACTUAL SIGNING HAD TAKEN PLACE, NEVERTHELESS JUMPED THE GUN A BIT AND ISSUED A CONGRATULATORY STATEMENT.
4. ACCORDING TO THE QATAR NEWS AGENCY, "THE CABINET WELCOMED THE JORDANIAN, ISRAEL PEACE TREATY SIGNED YESTERDAY IN THE PRESENCE OF US PRESIDENT BILL CLINTON DESCRIBING IT AS A SIGNIFICANT STEP TOWARDS ACHIEVING A JUST AND COMPREHENSIVE PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST. THE CABINET ALSO EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT PEACE WOULD BE ACHIEVED ON SYRIAN AND LEBANESE

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2. TEXT OF STATEMENT BY CHIEF CABINET SECRETARY IGARASHI, RELEASED OCTOBER 27, FOLLOWS (EMBASSY TRANSLATION): BEGIN TEXT: CHIEF CABINET SECRETARY'S COMMENT ON THE SIGNING OF A PEACE TREATY BETWEEN ISRAEL AND JORDAN.

1. JAPAN HEARTILY WELCOMES THE SIGNING OF AN ISRAELI-JORDAN PEACE TREATY. THE GOVERNMENT OF JAPAN WELCOMES IT AS AN IMPORTANT PILLAR FOR PEACE AND STABILITY IN THE MIDDLE EAST. IN THE ONGOING PROCESS OF PEACE-MAKING DATING BACK TO THE MIDDLE EAST PEACE CONFERENCE IN MADRID IN OCTOBER, 1991, THE TWO COUNTRIES HAVE APPROACHED PEACE-MAKING NEGOTIATIONS IN A POSITIVE WAY, OVERCOME A NUMBER OF DIFFICULTIES, AND NOW HAVE SIGNED A PEACE TREATY. THE GOVERNMENT OF JAPAN HIGHLY APPRECIATES THE TWO COUNTRIES' RECONCILIATION EFFORTS. MOREOVER, THE GOVERNMENT OF JAPAN ALSO PAYS ITS DEEP RESPECTS TO THE COUNTRY WHICH, AS A PARTNER FOR THE PEACE-MAKING PROCESS, MEDIATED BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES IN THEIR PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

2. BASED ON UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTIONS 242 AND 338, JAPAN HAS CONTINUED TO TAKE THE POSITION THAT THOSE RESOLUTIONS WOULD BE ACCOMPLISHED BY ISRAEL'S WITHDRAWAL FROM ALL AREAS IT OCCUPIES AND BY THE RECOGNITION OF THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE'S RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND ISRAEL'S RIGHT TO EXISTENCE. JAPAN HAS STRONGLY HOPED THAT A FAIR, LONG-LASTING AND COMPREHENSIVE PEACE WOULD BE ACCOMPLISHED IN THE MIDDLE EAST AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE. THE GOVERNMENT OF JAPAN EARNESTLY HOPES THAT THE NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN ISRAEL AND SYRIA AND THE NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN ISRAEL AND LEBANON WILL ALSO PRODUCE RESULTS AT AN EARLY DATE IN THE FUTURE, WITH THE PROGRESS THIS TIME AS AN IMPETUS.

3. FOR FURTHER PROGRESS IN THE PEACE-MAKING PROCESS, INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY'S ASSISTANCE IS NECESSARY AND INDISPENSABLE. JAPAN WILL CONTINUOUSLY SUPPORT THE MIDDLE EAST PEACE PROCESS THROUGH SUCH ACTIONS AS WORKING TO PERSUADE THOSE CONCERNED WITH THE PEACE PROCESS, PARTICIPATING IN MULTILATERAL TALKS, AND OFFERING ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE TO THE PALESTINIANS AND NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES. END TEXT.

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SUBJECT: FATAH'S HIGHER COMMITTEE ASSAILS
ISRAEL - JORDAN PEACE TREATY

1. POST OBTAINED A STATEMENT ISSUED OCTOBER 25 BY FATAH'S HIGHER COMMITTEE IN THE WEST BANK. THE STATEMENT ACCUSES ISRAEL AND JORDAN OF CONSPIRING TOGETHER TO CIRCUMVENT COMMITMENTS MADE BY ISRAEL IN THE DOP AND WARNS THAT NO PEACE WILL BE ACHIEVED WITHOUT JERUSALEM AS THE CAPITAL OF AN INDEPENDENT PALESTINIAN STATE. FATAH ALSO STERNLY WARNS KING HUSSEIN AGAINST VISITING JERUSALEM WHILE IT REMAINS "UNDER ISRAELI SWORDS." POST'S INFORMAL TRANSLATION OF THE STATEMENT FOLLOWS.

1. BEGIN TEXT:

TO OUR STEADFAST PEOPLE :

WE SEND YOU GREETINGS OF JERUSALEM - THE CAPITAL OF THE INDEPENDENT STATE OF PALESTINE:

DESPITE THE HARSH INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL CLIMATE WHICH LED TO THE MADRID CONFERENCE, AND DESPITE THE HARD CONDITIONS WHICH WERE ATTACHED TO OUR PARTICIPATION IN IT, THE PLO DECIDED THEN TO ENTER THE PEACE PROCESS FOR RATIONAL AND REALISTIC CONSIDERATIONS. AT THE SAME TIME, WE REALIZED THAT WHAT LAY AHEAD WOULD BE A DIFFICULT BATTLE OF COMPLICATED NEGOTIATIONS IN WHICH

REGIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL WEIGHT WOULD BE ON ISRAEL'S SIDE. OUR PEOPLE'S LEADERSHIP CHOSE THIS NARROW PATH AND DISTANCED ITSELF FROM SLOGANEERING AND LOST CAUSES, THUS PLACING THE FATE, THE STRUGGLE, AND THE FUTURE OF OUR PEOPLE IN THE UNKNOWN. OUR LEADERSHIP, UNDER FATAH'S COMMAND, STOOD UP AND ASSUMED ITS RESPONSIBILITIES WITH COURAGE; IT DID NOT RUN AWAY AND AVOID ITS RESPONSIBILITIES. OUR LEADERSHIP ACCEPTED THE CHALLENGE, FULLY TRUSTING ITS ABILITIES TO CHANGE THE RULES OF THE POLITICAL GAME AND THE HUMILATING CONDITIONS. OUR LEADERSHIP'S TRUST WAS IN OUR FIGHTING PEOPLE WHO POSSESS A LONG TRADITION OF STRUGGLE WHICH STARTED OVER THIRTY YEARS AGO. ALL OF THIS WAS HAPPENING AT A TIME WHEN OTHER OPTIONS AND ALTERNATIVES WERE BEING WAIVED AND NULLIFIED. FATAH WAS COMPELLED TO IMPOSE A PALESTINIAN POLITICAL PRESENCE IN THE INTERNATIONAL ARENA BY PROMOTING AN UNDERSTANDING OF INTERNATIONAL CONDITIONS AMONG PALESTINIANS.

O! MASSES OF OUR PEOPLE:

FATAH'S AND THE PALESTINIAN LEADERSHIP WERE BOTH ABLE TO CAUSE VISIBLE CRACKS IN THE RESTRAINTS IMPOSED UPON US, BRINGING ABOUT THE OSLO AGREEMENT WHICH, ALL THE SAME, DID NOT EXPRESS OUR DESIRES AND OUR AMBITIONS FOR AN INDEPENDENT PALESTINIAN STATE. FOR THE FIRST TIME A PALESTINIAN NATIONAL AUTHORITY WAS BORN ON PART OF THE HOMELAND, AND A PORTION OF OUR PEOPLE EXERCISED THEIR RIGHT TO RETURN AS A FIRST STEP TOWARDS ACHIEVING THE RIGHT OF SELF-DETERMINATION, THE RIGHT OF RETURN, AND THE RIGHT TO BUILD A STATE WITH HOLY JERUSALEM AS ITS CAPITAL.

PALESTINIANS AND ISRAELIS AGREED TO POSTPONE DISCUSSION ON FIVE MAJOR ISSUES UNTIL NEGOTIATIONS ON FINAL SOLUTION. FOREMOST AMONG THESE ISSUES WAS JERUSALEM. ISRAEL INSISTS ON TAMPERING WITH THIS ISSUE AND IS OFFERING JERUSALEM TO JORDAN AS A BARGAINING CHIP. SUCH BEHAVIOR CONSTITUTES A VIOLATION OF THE OSLO AGREEMENT AND AN ATTEMPT TO OBLITERATE THE POSSIBILITY OF A PALESTINIAN STATE AND A PALESTINIAN CLAIM TO JERUSALEM. WE WOULD LIKE TO CONFIRM THE FOLLOWING IN THIS REGARD:

1. WE ARE FOR A JUST AND COMPREHENSIVE PEACE ON ANY ARAB - ISRAELI TRACK ON THE CONDITION THAT IT IS NOT ACHIEVED AT THE EXPENSE OF OUR PEOPLE AND THEIR NATIONAL ISSUES AND ON THE CONDITION THAT SUCH A PEACE WILL SUPPORT FOR ARAB NATIONAL SOLIDARITY DEPTH RATHER THAN FRAGMENT IT.

2. THE INTERFERENCE OF JORDAN ON THE ISSUE OF JERUSALEM AND ITS ASSUMPTION OF RELIGIOUS SUPERVISION MEANS CLEARLY TO THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY THAT THE ISSUE OF JERUSALEM HAS BEEN DEALT WITH, AND THAT THE ARABS HAVE TAKEN THEIR RIGHTS IN THE CITY WHICH IS LIMITED ONLY TO RELIGIOUS AFFAIRS.

3. THE ISRAELI-JORDANIAN AGREEMENT ON JERUSALEM IS A

POLITICAL CONSPIRACY WHICH AIMS AT CIRCUMVENTING OSLO AND LIMITING THAT AGREEMENT'S POLITICAL SCOPE. SUCH A CONSPIRACY SERVES ISRAEL'S DESIRE AND ITS UNLATERAL ACTION TO EXTEND ITS SOVERIGNTY OVER JERUSALEM. AT THE SAME TIME, ISRAEL IS MAKING A FALSE SHOW OF GENEROSITY UNCLAS SECTION 02 OF 02 JERUSALEM 003790

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SUBJECT: FATAH'S HIGHER COMMITTEE ASSAILS

ISRAEL - JORDAN PEACE TREATY

IN GRANTING JORDAN RELIGIOUS SUPERVISION. IN THE FUTURE, ISRAEL MAY ATTEMPT TO MAKE A SIMILAR "SHOW OF GENEROSITY" IN GRANTING THE PALESTINIANS CIVILIAN SUPERVISION OVER ARAB RESIDENTS.

4. JORDANIAN ARRANGEMENTS IN REGARD TO THE AWAF AND HOLY ISLAMIC PLACES IN JERUSALEM, INCLUDING THE APPOINTMENT OF THE MUFTI OF JERUSALEM, IGNORE LEGITIMATE PALESTINIAN RIGHTS IN JERUSALEM, AND REPRESENT AN ATTEMPT TO ERASE JERUSALEM AS AN ISSUE ON THE AGENDA OF THE PALESTINIAN NEGOTIATOR. THESE ARRANGEMENTS ARE ALSO A FRESH ATTEMPT TO IMPOSE JORDANIAN HEGEMONY OVER OUR PEOPLE.

IN LIGHT OF THE ABOVE WE IN FATAH AFFIRM THE FOLLOWING:

1. HOLY JERUSALEM IS ONE AND CANNOT BE SEPARATED -- RELIGIOUSLY, POLITICALLY, CIVILLY, OR BY NATIONALITY. JERUSALEM IS THE ETERNAL HISTORIC CAPITAL OF AN INDEPENDENT PALESTINIAN STATE.

2. THE ISRAELI-JORDANIAN AGREEMENT ON JERUSALEM IS ILLEGAL. NEITHER ISRAEL NOR JORDAN HAS THE RIGHT TO CONCLUDE SUCH AN AGREEMENT BECAUSE ON ONE HAND, IT IS A VIOLATION OF THE OSLO AGREEMENT, AND ON THE OTHER HAND, IT HURTS THE MOST BASIC RIGHTS OF OUR PEOPLE, AND CONTRADICTS THE GROUND RULES OF ARAB AND ISLAMIC RELATIONS.

3. THIS AGREEMENT IMPLIES FOR THE INTERNATIONAL AUDIENCE THAT THE ISSUE OF JERUSALEM HAS BEEN REDUCED TO A RELIGIOUS ISSUE ONLY, AS IF PALESTINIANS HAVE NO OTHER RELATION TO THE HOLY CITY.

4. WE WARN KING HUSSEIN AGAINST VISITING JERUSALEM WHILE IT IS STILL UNDER ISRAELI SWORDS.

O! HEROIC MASSES OF OUR PEOPLE:

WE IN FATAH WARN IN A LOUD VOICE AGAINST THE JORDANIAN-ISRAELI AGREEMENT IN REGARD TO JERUSALEM. WE ANNOUNCE IN A LOUD VOICE THAT OUR PEOPLE HAVE GROWN TO MATURITY AND CANNOT ACCEPT ANYONE'S TUTELAGE. WE ALSO WARN THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT AGAINST ITS CONTINUING POLICY OF OPPRESSION AND STALLING ON IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SECOND STAGE OF THE OSLO AGREEMENT. WE WARN IT ALSO

AGAINST USING PALESTINIAN - ISRAELI AGREEMENT AS A
CONDUIT TO ACCEPTANCE BY THE ARAB WORLD. IN THE FACE OF
THESE GRAVE CHALLENGES, WE CALL UPON FATAH'S MEMBERS TO
EXERCISE GREATER UNITY AND AWARENESS. WE ALSO CALL
UPON ALL PALESTINIAN POLITICAL FORCES TO STRENGTHEN
UNITY IN THE FACE OF COMING INJUSTICE AND FRESH
CONSPIRACIES. EVERYONE MUST BE ON THE ALERT TO FACE UP
TO THIS SERIOUS TEST.

NO PEACE WITHOUT JERUSALEM - CAPITAL OF THE INDEPENDENT
PALESTINIAN STATE!

THE SECOND STAGE OF OSLO MUST BE IMPLEMENTED IMMEDIATELY!

PRISONERS MUST BE RELEASED IMMEDIATELY!

YES TO PALESTINIAN NATIONAL UNITY!

NO TO THE CONSPIRACIES AGAINST OUR PEOPLE AND OUR
OBJECTIVES!

NO TO THE VISIT OF JORDAN'S KING TO JERUSALEM UNDER
RABIN'S SWORDS!

(SIGNED) THE HIGHER MOVEMENT COMMITTEE OF FATAH.
OCTOBER 25, 1994

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1. THE FOLLOWING IS POST'S SUBMISSION OF THE 1995
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FOLLOW VIA COMMERCIAL OVERNIGHT DELIVERY TO AMY SAH,
EB/MTA/STA, ROOM 3828 - MAIN STATE, DEPARTMENT OF
STATE, 2201 C STREET N.W., WASHINGTON, D.C. 20520,
TELEPHONE NUMBER: (202) 647-7552, FAX: (202)
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2. DUE TO CABLE TRANSMISSION REQUIREMENTS, WE ARE NOT
ABLE TO FULLY COMPLY WITH SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS IN
REFTEL. DISK VERSION FOLLOWS THE REQUIRED FORMAT.

JORDAN

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KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS

(MILLIONS OF U.S. DOLLARS)

1992 1993 1994 1/

INCOME, PRODUCTION AND EMPLOYMENT

REAL GDP 2/ (1985 PRICES)	3,236.1	3,194.5	3,370.2
REAL GDP GROWTH (PCT.)	11.2	5.8	5.5
GDP (AT CURRENT PRICES) 2/	4,851.3	5,034.0	5,523.0
BY SECTOR:			
AGRICULTURE	330.6	342.9	N/A
ENERGY AND WATER	106.4	105.4	N/A
MANUFACTURING	610.1	632.0	N/A
CONSTRUCTION	231.0	252.3	N/A
RENTS	11.1	11.2	N/A
FINANCIAL SERVICES	770.3	819.6	N/A
OTHER SERVICES	141.9	144.8	N/A
GOVERNMENT, HEALTH AND EDUCATION	832.5	901.3	N/A
NET EXPORTS OF GOODS AND SERVICES	-1,732.2	-1,648.2	-1,960.0
REAL PER CAPITA GDP ('85 BPS)	807.0	770.0	802.2
LABOR FORCE (OOOS)	706	712	760
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (PERCENT)	14	13	11
MONEY AND PRICES			

(ANNUAL PERCENTAGE GROWTH)

MONEY SUPPLY (M2)	12.8	9.3	6.0
BASE INTEREST RATE 3/	8.5	8.5	8.5
PERSONAL SAVING RATE	7.0	8.0	8.0
RETAIL INFLATION	8.2	4.0	4.0
WHOLESALE INFLATION	4.8	0.7	2.0
CONSUMER PRICE INDEX	100.0	103.3	107.3
EXCHANGE RATE (USD/JD)			
OFFICIAL 4/	1.5	1.4	1.4

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS AND TRADE

TOTAL EXPORTS FOB 5/	950.6	967.8	1,100.0
EXPORTS TO U.S.	6.3	10.2	11.3
TOTAL IMPORTS CIF 5/	3,321.0	3,435.1	3,550.0
IMPORTS FROM U.S.	369.3	436.1	470.0
AID FROM U.S.	0.0	90.0	120.0
AID FROM OTHER COUNTRIES	206.1	198.8	347.0
EXTERNAL PUBLIC DEBT	7,804.7	7,750.1	6,500.0
DEBT SERVICE PAYMENTS (PAID)	490.2	612.6	400.0
GOLD AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE RESERVES	1,501.7	1,337.3	2,155.7
TRADE BALANCE (NEGATIVE)	2,280.4	2,485.3	2,450.0
BALANCE WITH U.S.	-363.0	-425.9	-458.7

1/ 1994 FIGURES ARE ESTIMATES BASED ON IMF TARGETS;
2/ GDP AT PRODUCERS' PRICES; 3/ AVERAGE REDISCOUNT
RATE; 4/ ACTUAL EXCHANGE RATE; 5/ MERCHANDISE TRADE.
GENERAL POLICY FRAMEWORK

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3. THE JORDANIAN ECONOMY EXPERIENCED SUSTAINED GROWTH
IN DOMESTIC OUTPUT IN 1993-94. GDP INCREASED BY 5.8
PERCENT IN 1993, WITH THE RATE OF INVESTMENT TO GDP
STABILIZING AT 30 PERCENT. FOR 1994, THE IMF HAS
FORECASTED GDP G
ROWTH AT 5.5 PERCENT. THE
CONSTRUCTION SECTOR HAS CONTINUED TO DOMINATE ECONOMIC
ACTIVITY, WHILE THE FINANCIAL, MANUFACTURING,
AGRICULTURAL AND TRADING SECTORS HAVE ALSO EXPANDED.
OVERALL, THE JORDANIAN ECONOMY RESPONDED POSITIVELY TO
THE STRUCTURAL ADJUSTMENT PROGRAM FORMULATED BY THE
GOVERNMENT OF JORDAN AND THE IMF IN 1992.

4. THE GOVERNMENT IS BEGINNING TO ADJUST ITS ECONOMIC
POLICIES IN RESPONSE TO RECENT PROGRESS IN THE PEACE
PROCESS. IT IS IN THE SECOND YEAR OF IMPLEMENTATION
OF A FIVE-YEAR ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN
FOR 1993-97, BUT IS NOW CONSIDERING AMENDMENTS TO
ACCOUNT FOR JORDAN'S PEACE TREATY WITH ISRAEL AND
PLANS FOR COOPERATION ON ECONOMIC ISSUES WITH THE
PALESTINIAN NATIONAL AUTHORITY.

5. IN MAY 1994, THE GOVERNMENT ENTERED INTO A
THREE-YEAR EXTENDED FUND FACILITY WITH THE IMF THAT
REQUIRES A VARIETY OF SECTORAL POLICY REFORMS. UNDER
THIS PROGRAM, THE GOVERNMENT PROJECTS ANNUAL GDP
GROWTH WILL REACH 5.5 PERCENT, THE ANNUAL INFLATION
RATE WILL FALL BELOW FIVE PERCENT, THE CURRENT ACCOUNT
DEFICIT WILL DECLINE TO 9.7 PERCENT OF GDP AND CENTRAL
BANK RESERVES WILL RISE TO THE EQUIVALENT OF 2.4
MONTHS OF IMPORTS, OR 665 MILLION DOLLARS. TO SUSTAIN
DEVELOPMENT AND REACH THESE TARGETS, THE GOVERNMENT
HAS ANNOUNCED THAT INCREASED PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTOR
SAVINGS AND SUSTAINED INVESTMENT LEVELS ARE KEY
PRIORITIES.

6. IN JANUARY 1994, THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED ITS INTENTION TO ADOPT AN AGENDA OF ECONOMIC REFORMS AFFECTING THE LEGAL ENVIRONMENT OF DOING BUSINESS IN JORDAN. IT WILL INTRODUCE A NEW INVESTMENT LAW, AMEND THE CUSKMS AND INCOME TAX LAWS, HARMONIZE THE GENERAL SALES TAX WITH CUSTOMS DUTIES AND SIMPLIFY TARIFF SCHEDULES. IN ADDITION TO REFORMING THE CIVIL SERVICE SYSTEM, THE GOVERNMENT ALSO PLANS TO LIMIT THE GROWTH OF THE PUBLIC SECTOR BY FREEZING HIRING DURING 1995.

7. AS FOR MONETARY POLICY, THE CENTRAL BANK OF JORDAN ANNOUNCED IN JULY THAT IT WOULD BEGIN EXERCISING INDIRECT CONTROL OVER THE BANKING SYSTEM THROUGH THE USE OF DINAR-DENOMINATED CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT. IT ALSO HAS ENCOURAGED HOLDINGS IN DOLLAR-DENOMINATED CD'S BY OFFERING INTEREST AT TWO POINTS ABOVE LIBOR, A MOVE INTENDED TO ENHANCE RESERVES AND DISCOURAGE CAPITAL FLIGHT. THE CENTRAL BANK ALSO PLANS TO STREAMLINE ITS HANDLING OF DEPOSIT FACILITIES AND CREDITS. BY EARLY 1995, IT WILL ELIMINATE COMMERCIAL BANK DEPOSIT REQUIREMENTS AND NO LONGER COMPEL LOCAL BANKS TO ADHERE TO CREDIT/DEPOSIT RATIOS. THE CENTRAL BANK HAS NOT FULLY ELIMINATED THE DOUBLE RESERVE REQUIREMENT ON INTERBANK DEPOSITS, BUT HAS ANNOUNCED ITS INTENTION TO SIMPLIFY ITS OVERSIGHT OF THIS MARKET.

EXCHANGE RATE POLICIES

8. THE CENTRAL BANK REGULATES FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSACTIONS IN JORDAN AND SETS THE BANKING SYSTEM EXCHANGE RATE. IT ALSO RESTRICTS MONEYCHANGERS TO DEALING WITHIN A SPECIFIED RANGE OF BUYING AND SELLING RATES. ON OCTOBER 12, 1994, THE AVERAGE EXCHANGE RATE WAS ONE DINAR EQUALS 1.43 DOLLARS, ONE CENT LOWER THAN THE AVERAGE RATE IN 1993. THE CENTRAL BANK HAS ANNOUNCED THAT IT WILL NOT FLOAT THE DINAR DESPITE ITS APPLICATION TO THE IMF FOR ASSISTANCE IN IMPLEMENTING A SYSTEM FOR PARTIAL DINAR CONVERTIBILITY. IN NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE JORDANIAN GOVERNMENT AND THE PALESTINIAN NATIONAL AUTHORITY, THE BANK HAS SOUGHT TO ASSURE WEST BANK RESIDENTS HOLDING DINARS OF THE CURRENCY'S CONTINUED STABILITY.

STRUCTURAL POLICIES

9. PRICING POLICIES: IN GENERAL, MARKET FORCES SET PRICES. HOWEVER, THE GOVERNMENT IMPORTS AND
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SUBSIDIZES THE PRICES OF BASIC FOODSTUFFS SUCH AS CEREALS, SUGAR, MILK AND FROZEN MEAT. IT ALSO CONTROLS THE PRICES OF OTHER NON-STRATEGIC COMMODITIES SUCH AS AUTOMOBILE SPARE PARTS, CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS, HOUSEHOLD CLEANING MATERIALS AND FOOD AND BEVERAGE SERVED IN RESTAURANTS. THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY MAY INTERVENE AND SET A MAXIMUM PRICE CEILING ON ANY CONSUMER COMMODITY. IT OPERATES A RATION CARD

SYS3EM FOR CONSUMER PURCHASES OF SUGAR, RICE AND MILK FOR CITIZENS WHOSE MONTHLY INCOME IS LESS THAN 715 DOLLARS. SUBSIDIZED PRICES AND CONTROLS HAVE NO IMPACT ON JORDANIAN IMPORTS OF U.S. FOOD STAPLES. THE MINISTRY OF SUPPLY HAS SUBMITTED A PROPOSAL TO THE CABINET TO ELIMINATE PRICE CONTROLS ON NON-SUBSIDIZED, NON-STRATEGIC COMMODITIES AND LIMITING FOOD SUBSIDIES TO EMPLOYEES IN THE CIVIL SERVICE AND THE MILITARY.

10. TAX POLICIES: THE GOVERNMENT REMAINS DEPENDENT ON CUSTOMS DUTIES AND IMPORT TAXES AS ITS PRIMARY SOURCE OF DOMESTIC REVENUE, WHICH IT COLLECTS ON ALL IMPORTS, EXCEPT INDUSTRIAL RAW MATERIALS AND MACHINERY. HIGH TARIFF RATES ARE IMPOSED ON MANY CONSUMER AND LUXURY GOODS. ON AUTOMOBILES FOR INSTANCE, THE TARIFF RATE RANGES FROM 110 TO 310 PERCENT. TO STIMULATE EXPORT PRODUCTION, IMPORT TARIFFS ARE LOW ON MANY RAW MATERIALS, MACHINERY AND SEMI-FINISHED GOODS. IN RECENT YEARS, CUSTOMS COLLECTIONS HAVE YIELDED A LOWER PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL GOVERNMENT REVENUES AS OTHER TAXES HAVE ASSUMED GREATER IMPORTANCE. IN JUNE, 1994 THE GOVERNMENT ENACTED A GENERAL SALES TAX TO REPLACE A PREVIOUSLY-IMPOSED CONSUMPTION TAX. THE SALES TAX APPLIES TO ALL DURABLE AND CONSUMER GOODS EXCEPT FOOD STAPLES AND HEALTH CARE AND EDUCATION-RELATED PRODUCTS. AN INCOME TAX IS LEVIED AT A MAXIMUM MARGINAL RATE OF 40 PERCENT FOR ALL BUSINESSES. THE MARGINAL TAX RATE ON INDIVIDUAL INCOME IS CAPPED AT 55 PERCENT, WITH HIGH PERSONAL, EDUCATIONAL AND MEDICAL DEDUCTIONS PERMITTED. INTEREST, DIVIDEND AND CAPITAL GAINS EARNINGS ARE EXEMPT FROM TAXATION, EXCEPT FOR INCOME EARNED BY FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS. IN ADDITION, INCOME DERIVED FROM AGRICULTURE IS EXEMPT. THE GOVERNMENT PLANS TO SUBMIT CHANGES TO THE INCOME TAX LAW TO PARLIAMENT IN NOVEMBER, 1994 THAT WILL EXTEND ITS COVERAGE TO CAPITAL GAINS IN PROPERTY AND STOCK MARKET TRANSACTIONS AND LIMIT TOTAL LIABILITY TO 35 - 40 PERCENT OF INCOME.

11. REGULATORY POLICIES: JORDANIAN REGULATIONS

PERTAINING TO THE LICENSING AND OPERATIONS OF REGIONAL OFFICES OF FOREIGN FIRMS ARE FAIRLY CLEAR. HOWEVER, LOCAL AMERICAN BUSINESSMEN COMPLAIN OF DIFFICULTIES WITH CUSTOMS AUTHORITIES REGARDING TARIFF EXEMPTIONS AND LICENSING. POTENTIAL INVESTORS NOTE THAT CUMBERSOME AND TIME CONSUMING PROCEDURES DE@Y REGISTRATION AND GOVERNMENT APPROVAL OF THEIR PROJECTS. IN AUGUST 1994, KING HUSSEIN ANNOUNCED THE FORMATION OF A ROYAL DEVELOPMENT AND MODERNIZATION COMMISSION UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF CROWN PRINCE HASSAN. ONE OF THE COMMISSION'S STATED GOALS IS THE FACILITATION OF FOREIGN INVESTMENT THROUGH THE ELIMINATION OF MAJOR REGULATORY AND BUREAUCRATIC IMPEDIMENTS AND DISINCENTIVES. IN ONE OF ITS FIRST RECOMMENDATIONS, THE COMMISSION HAS PROPOSED THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A CENTRALIZED OFFICE FOR FOREIGN INVESTMENT APPLICATIONS.

DEBT MANAGEMENT POLICIES

12. JORDAN'S EXTERNAL DEBT AS OF DECEMBER 1, 1993 STOOD AT 6.8 BILLION DOLLARS, ABOUT 130 PERCENT OF GDP. A WEEK LATER, THE GOVERNMENT REACHED AGREEMENT IN RESCHEDLING ITS 895 MILLION DOLLARS COMMERCIAL DEBT UNDER TERMS FINALIZED WITH THE LONDON CLUB. COMMERCIAL CREDITORS AGREED TO SELL UP TO 35 PERCENT OF PRINCIPAL WITH A DISCOUNT OF 35 PERCENT, ON WHICH JORDAN WOULD PAY 50 PERCENT OF OUTSTANDING INTEREST. THE REST OF THE PRINCIPAL (AT LEAST 65 PERCENT) WAS CONVERTED INTO 30-YEAR PAR-VALUE BONDS GUARANTEED BY U.S. ZERO INTEREST COUPON BONDS. UNDER THIS OPTION, JORDAN AGREED TO IMMEDIATELY PAY TEN PERCENT OF OUTSTANDING INTEREST WHILE CONVERTING THE REMAINDER INTO 12-YEAR DOLLAR BONDS PAYABLE IN 19 SEMI-ANNUAL

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INSTALLMENTS AFTER A THREE-YEAR GRACE PERIOD. THE LONDON CLUB AGREEMENT HELPED JORDAN REDUCE 60 PERCENT OF ITS DEBT TO THE CLUB, OR 12 PERCENT OF ITS TOTAL EXTERNAL DEBT.

13. FOLLOWING SUCCESSFUL NEGOTIATIONS IN JUNE 1994, JORDAN AND ITS BILATERAL CREDITORS IN THE PARIS CLUB

REACHED A 1.2 BILLION DOLLAR DEBT RESCHEDULING AGREEMENT COVERING PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYMENTS FALLING DUE BETWEEN 1994 AND 1997 IN ADDITION TO ARREARAGES FROM THE FIRST HALF OF 1994.

14. DESPITE ITS SUCCESS AT RESCHEDULING ITS FOREIGN DEBT, THE JORDANIAN GOVERNMENT CONTINUED TO PRESSURE ITS BILATERAL CREDITORS FOR DEBT FORGIVENESS. AFTER THE WASHINGTON DECLARATION OF KING HUSSEIN AND PRIME MINISTER RABIN OF ISRAEL IN JULY 1994, THE UNITED STATES AGREED TO WRITE OFF 705 MILLION DOLLARS OF JORDANIAN DEBT OVER A THREE-YEAR PERIOD. AN AGREEMENT WAS SIGNED IN SEPTEMBER 1994 TO FORGIVE THE FIRST TRANCHE OF 220 MILLION DOLLARS. OTHER BILATERAL CREDITORS HAVE FOLLOWED THE UNITED STATES' EXAMPLE. THE UNITED KINGDOM, GERMANY AND FRANCE AGREED TO WRITE OFF 90 MILLION DOLLARS, 53 MILLION DOLLARS AND 4.5 MILLION DOLLARS, RESPECTIVELY. EVEN WITH THESE COMMITMENTS, JORDAN'S TOTAL FOREIGN DEBT REMAINS ABOVE FIVE BILLION DOLLARS, ONE OF THE HIGHEST IN THE WORLD ON A PER CAPITA BASIS.

SIGNIFICANT BARRIERS TO U.S. EXPORTS

15. IMPORT LICENSES: THE 1993 IMPORT AND EXPORT LAW ABOLISHED IMPORT LICENSING REQUIREMENT. BUT DUE TO THE LACK OF IMPLEMENTING REGULATIONS, THE JORDANIAN CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT CONTINUES TO REQUIRE LICENSES ON ALL IMPORTS EXCEPT FOR CERTAIN EXEMPTIONS FOR AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES AND IMPORTS BY THE ROYAL FAMILY AND GOVERNMENT AGENCIES. THE CONTINUED NEED FOR IMPORT LICENSES, WHICH ARE TIED TO THE ISSUANCE OF CBJ-CONTROLLED FOREIGN EXCHANGE PERMITS, HAMPER THE FREE FLOW OF TRADE BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND JORDAN.

16. STANDARDS, TESTING, LABELING, AND CERTIFICATION: ALL IMPORTS TO JORDAN ARE SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE STANDARDS AND MEASURES DEPARTMENT. FOODSTUFFS AND MEDICINES MUST UNDERGO LABORATORY TESTING AND CERTIFICATION. LOCAL TRADERS WHO REGULARLY IMPORT FROM THE UNITED STATES COMPLAIN THAT JORDANIAN TESTING STANDARDS FOR CONSUMER AND DURABLE ITEMS ARE NOT FULLY TRANSPARENT. THEY ALSO COMPLAIN THAT THEY ARE ROUTINELY FINED FOR IMPORTING U.S. PRODUCTS THAT CONTAIN PARTS AND COMPONENTS ARE MADE OUTSIDE THE U.S.

17. INVESTMENT BARRIERS: THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE DEGREE OF FOREIGN OWNERSHIP IN MANUFACTURING ENTERPRISES. HOWEVER, FOREIGNERS MAY NOT OWN MORE THAN 49 PERCENT OF HOTELS, RESTAURANTS, BANKS AND BUSINESSES ENGAGED IN TRADING AND TRANSPORT. ALTHOUGH THE GOVERNMENT OFFICIALLY ENCOURAGES FOREIGN INVESTMENT, AN APPLICATION REQUIRES PRIOR APPROVAL BY THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS, WHICH IS OFTEN A LENGTHY PROCESS. TO FACILITATE FOREIGN INVESTMENT, THE JORDAN

INVESTMENT PROMOTION DEPARTMENT WAS SEPARATED FROM THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND TRADE AND MADE AN INDEPENDENT AGENCY IN JANUARY 1994. THE JORDAN INVESTMENT CORPORATION, A GOVERNMENT AGENCY THAT MANAGES THE PENSION FUND OF CIVIL SERVICE EMPLOYEES, ENCOURAGES FOREIGN PARTICIPATION IN PROJECTS THAT IT PROMOTES.

18. GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT PRACTICES: ALL GOVERNMENT PURCHASES, WITH A FEW EXCEPTIONS, ARE MADE BY THE GENERAL SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT OF THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE. FOREIGN BIDDERS ARE PERMITTED TO COMPETE DIRECTLY WITH LOCAL COUNTERPARTS IN INTERNATIONAL TENDERS FINANCED BY THE WORLD BANK. HOWEVER, LOCAL TENDERS ARE NOT DIRECTLY OPEN TO FOREIGN SUPPLIERS. BY LAW, FOREIGN COMPANIES MUST SUBMIT BIDS THROUGH THEIR AGENTS. WHILE JORDAN'S PROCUREMENT LAW DOES NOT PERMIT NON-COMPETITIVE BIDDING, THE LAW DOES NOT PROHIBIT A GOVERNMENT AGENCY FROM PURSUING A SELECTIVE TENDERING PROCESS. THE LAW GIVES THE TENDER ISSUING UNCLAS SECTION 05 OF 07 AMMAN 013146

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DEPARTMENT, IN ADDITION TO THE REVIEW COMMITTEES AT THE CENTRAL TENDERS AND THE GENERAL SUPPLIES DEPARTMENTS, THE RIGHT TO ACCEPT OR REJECT ANY BID WHILE WITHHOLDING INFORMATION ON ITS DECISIONS. FOREIGN BIDDERS MAY SEEK RECOURSE ONLY THROUGH THE JORDANIAN LEGAL SYSTEM. IN RESPONSE TO A RECOMMENDATION OF THE ROYAL DEVELOPMENT AND MODERNIZATION COMMISSION, A HIGHER PROCUREMENT COMMISSION WAS CREATED IN OCTOBER 1994 TO MONITOR THE PROCEDURES OF THE SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT.

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OMS PROCEDURES: BUSINESSMEN OFTEN COMMENT THAT CUSTOMS PROCEDURES ARE THE GREATEST IMPEDIMENT TO DOING BUSINESS IN JORDAN. WHILE THE GOVERNMENT HAS OFTEN PROMISED TO REFORM ITS CUSTOMS REGIME, OVERLAPPING AREAS OF AUTHORITY AND EXCESSIVE SIGNATURE CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS REMAIN IN PLACE. ACTUAL COMMODITY APPRAISAL AND TARIFF ASSESSMENT PRACTICES COMMONLY DIFFER FROM WRITTEN REGULATIONS. CUSTOMS OFFICERS OFTEN MAKE DISCRETIONARY DECISIONS ABOUT TARIFF AND TAX APPLICATIONS WHEN REGULATIONS AND

INSTRUCTIONS ARE CONFLICTING. TO SECURE TARIFF EXEMPTIONS, BUSINESSMEN MUST DOCUMENT THAT IMPORTED RAW MATERIALS WILL BE USED IN EXPORT PRODUCTION, AND THAT THE FINAL PRODUCT WILL HAVE AT LEAST A 40 PERCENT JORDANIAN VALUE-ADDED CONTENT. THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF CUSTOMS MAY GRANT TEMPORARY ADMISSION STATUS TO CERTAIN GOODS SUCH AS HEAVY MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT USED FOR EXECUTING GOVERNMENT OR GOVERNMENT-APPROVED PROJECTS. FOREIGN CONSTRUCTION COMPANIES OPERATING ALONE OR WITH JORDANIAN PARTNERS MAY APPLY FOR THIS TEMPORARY ADMISSION STATUS. THE GOVERNMENT PLANS TO PRESENT AMENDMENTS TO THE CUSTOMS LAW TO PARLIAMENT IN NOVEMBER 1994. THESE WILL DELEGATE GREATER AUTHORITY FROM THE MINISTER OF FINANCE TO THE CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR, GIVING HIM INCREASED DISCRETIONARY POWERS TO INVESTIGATE VIOLATIONS AND ORDER CONFISCATIONS.

EXPORT SUBSIDIES POLICIES

20. UNDER CENTRAL BANK REGULATIONS, 70 PERCENT OF PROFITS EARNED FROM EXPORTS IS EXEMPTED FROM CORPORATE INCOME TAX, WITH A MAXIMUM EXEMPTION OF 30 PERCENT OF A COMPANY'S TOTAL INCOME. EXCLUDED ARE EXPORTS UNDER BILATERAL TRADE PROTOCOLS AND PHOSPHATE, POTASH AND FERTILIZER EXPORTS. THE CENTRAL BANK HAS ALSO IMPLEMENTED OTHER EXPORT FINANCING MEASURES, SUCH AS REDUCING INTEREST RATES ON ADVANCES FROM ELEVEN TO SIX PERCENT, REDUCING THE VALUE-ADDED REQUIREMENT FOR FINANCING FROM 40 PERCENT TO 25 PERCENT, EXCLUDING EXPORT ADVANCES FROM OUTSTANDING LINES OF CREDIT, OFFERING LONG-TERM EXPORT FINANCING FOR UP TO FIVE YEARS, AND PERMITTING THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BANK TO OFFER EXPORT FINANCING LOANS ON MACHINERY IMPORTS FOR UP TO FIVE YEARS AT NO MORE THAN 8.5 PERCENT INTEREST.

PROTECTION OF U.S. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

21. JORDAN'S COPYRIGHT LAW, PASSED BY PARLIAMENT IN 1992, IS THE COUNTRY'S ONLY RECENT EFFORT TO DEAL WITH THE PROTECTION OF FOREIGN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY. THE TRADEMARK AND PATENTS AND DESIGNS LAWS HAVE NOT BEEN AMENDED SINCE THE EARLY 1960'S. THE COPYRIGHT LAW DEALS WITH ALL ASPECTS RELATING TO THE EXCLUSIVE RIGHTS TO 1) COPY OR REPRODUCE WORKS, 2) TRANSLATE, REVISE, OR OTHERWISE ADAPT OR PREPARE PROGRAM DERIVATIVES WORK, AND 3) DISTRIBUTE OR PUBLICLY COMMUNICATE COPIES OF THE WORK. ROYALTIES MAY BE REMITTED ABROAD UNDER LICENSING AGREEMENTS APPROVED BY THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND TRADE. HOWEVER, ONLY THE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY OF JORDANIAN AND FOREIGN AUTHORS WHO REGISTER THEIR WORKS INSIDE THE KINGDOM ARE PROTECTED BY LAW. INFRINGEMENT OF U.S. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS IS NOT SUBJECT TO ANY PENALTIES.

22. THE GOVERNMENT HAS NOT YET BEGUN TO ENFORCE ITS

COPYRIGHT LAW. THE PIRATING OF AUDIO AND VIDEO TAPES FOR COMMERCIAL PURPOSES IS A WIDESPREAD PRACTICE, OVER WHICH THE GOVERNMENT EXERCISES NO CONTROL. PIRATED BOOKS ARE ALSO SOLD IN JORDAN, ALTHOUGH FEW, IF ANY, UNCLAS SECTION 06 OF 07 AMMAN 013146

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ARE PUBLISHED WITHIN THE COUNTRY. ALTHOUGH THE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED THAT IT WOULD ISSUE STRICT MEASURES ON COPYRIGHT PROTECTION IN JANUARY 1994, IT ONLY ISSUED PROCEDURAL NOTES FOR EXISTING REGULATIONS.

23. PATENTS (PRODUCT AND PROCESS) MUST BE REGISTERED AT THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND TRADE TO RECEIVE PROTECTION. A FOREIGN COMPANY MAY REGISTER A PATENT BY SENDING A POWER OF ATTORNEY TO A LOCAL PATENT AGENT OR LAWYER. REGISTRATION MAY BE RENEWED ONCE FOR A PERIOD OF 14 YEARS. PROTECTION UNDER THE LAW IS ONLY AVAILABLE TO DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN PATENTS THAT ARE

REGISTERED IN JORDAN. INFRINGEMENT OF A FOREIGN PATENT, SUCH AS A MANUFACTURING PROCESS FOR A CHEMICAL COMPOUND, IS CONSIDERED TO BE A VIOLATION BY JORDANIAN COURTS ONLY IF IT IS PROVED TO BE AN EXACT DUPLICATION.

24. NEW TECHNOLOGIES: COMPUTER SOFTWARE PIRACY IS RAMPANT IN JORDAN'S SMALL, BUT GROWING COMPUTER MARKET. THE GOJ HAS ANNOUNCED THAT IT WILL GIVE PRIORITY TO PROTECTING COMPUTER SOFTWARE COPYRIGHTS, BUT HAS NOT YET TAKEN ANY ACTION OR ISSUED CLEAR POLICY DIRECTIVES.

25. THERE IS NO AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND JORDAN CONCERNING THE PROTECTION OF U.S. EXPORTS OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY. ALTHOUGH THE IMPACT OF THIS LACK OF PROTECTION MAY NOT HAVE BEEN SEVERE ENOUGH TO CAUSE LOSSES TO U.S. FIRMS, IT HAS CREATED LOST OPPORTUNITIES. JORDAN APPLIED TO JOIN THE GATT IN JANUARY 1994; THIS OPENS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR THE U.S. TO DISCUSS WITH JORDAN A BILATERAL SIGNING OF THE TRIPS AGREEMENT.

WORKER RIGHTS

26. THE RIGHT OF ASSOCIATION: WHILE JORDANIANS ARE FREE TO JOIN LABOR UNIONS, ONLY ABOUT 10 PERCENT OF THE WORK FORCE IS UNIONIZED. UNIONS REPRESENT THEIR MEMBERSHIP IN DEALING WITH ISSUES SUCH AS WAGES, WORKING CONDITIONS AND WORKER LAYOFFS. SEVENTEEN UNIONS MAKE UP THE GENERAL FEDERATION OF JORDANIAN TRADE UNIONS (GFJTU). THE GFJTU ACTIVELY PARTICIPATES IN THE INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION.

27. THE RIGHT TO ORGANIZE AND BARGAIN COLLECTIVELY: GFJTU MEMBER UNIONS REGULARLY ENGAGE IN COLLECTIVE BARGAINING WITH EMPLOYERS. NEGOTIATIONS COVER A WIDE RANGE OF ISSUES, INCLUDING SALARIES, SAFETY STANDARDS, WORKING CONDITIONS AND HEALTH AND LIFE INSURANCE. IF A UNION IS UNABLE TO REACH AGREEMENT WITH AN EMPLOYER, THE DISPUTE IS REFERRED TO THE MINISTRY OF LABOR FOR ARBITRATION. IF THE MINISTRY FAILS TO ACT WITHIN TWO WEEKS, THE UNION MAY STRIKE. ARBITRATION IS THE USUAL MEANS OF RESOLVING DISPUTES, AND LABOR ACTIONS ARE GENERALLY LOW-KEY AND DO NOT LEAD TO STRIKES.

28. PROHIBITION OF FORCED COMPULSORY LABOR: COMPULSORY LABOR IS FORBIDDEN BY THE JORDANIAN CONSTITUTION.

29. MINIMUM AGE OF EMPLOYMENT OF CHILDREN: CHILDREN UNDER AGE 16 ARE NOT PERMITTED TO WORK EXCEPT IN THE CASE OF PROFESSIONAL APPRENTICES, WHO MAY LEAVE THE STANDARD EDUCATIONAL TRACK AND BEGIN PART-TIME (UP TO 6 HOURS A DAY) TRAINING AT AGE 13.

30. ACCEPTABLE CONDITIONS OF WORK: JORDAN'S WORKERS ARE PROTECTED BY A COMPREHENSIVE LABOR CODE, ENFORCED BY 30 FULL-TIME MINISTRY OF LABOR INSPECTORS. THERE IS NO COMPREHENSIVE MINIMUM WAGE IN JORDAN. THE GOVERNMENT MAINTAINS AND PERIODICALLY ADJUSTS A MINIMUM WAGE SCHEDULE OF VARIOUS TRADES, BASED ON RECOMMENDATIONS OF AN ADVISORY PANEL CONSISTING OF REPRESENTATIVES OF WORKERS, EMPLOYERS AND THE GOVERNMENT. MAXIMUM WORKING HOURS ARE 48 PER WEEK, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF HOTEL, BAR, RESTAURANT AND MOVIE THEATER EMPLOYEES, WHO CAN WORK UP TO 54 HOURS. WORKING CONDITIONS AND MINIMUM WAGE FOR FOREIGN WORKERS ARE STIPULATED IN BILATERAL TREATIES, BUT ARE NOT STRICTLY ENFORCED OR CONSISTENTLY ADHERED TO. JORDAN ALSO HAS A WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAW AND A SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM WHICH COVER COMPANIES WITH MORE UNCLAS SECTION 07 OF 07 AMMAN 013146

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31. RIGHTS IN SECTORS WITH U.S. INVESTMENT: WORKERS' RIGHTS IN SECTORS WITH U.S. INVESTMENT DO NOT DIFFER FROM THOSE IN OTHER SECTORS OF THE JORDANIAN ECONOMY. EGAN

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